

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: James A. Patterson

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For: Composition for Arresting the Flow of Blood and Method

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PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL

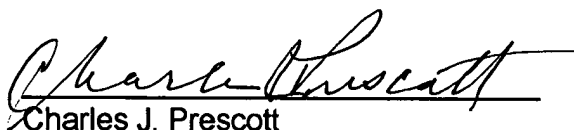
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Comes now the applicant, James A. Patterson, by and through his undersigned attorney, and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to make the above-styled application special under the provisions of the Patent Office Rules on the grounds that the applicant is over sixty-five (65) years of age. Enclosed herewith is an Affidavit, properly executed by applicant, showing that his age is 78 years.

Under 37 CFR 1.102(c), "A petition to make an application special may be filed without a fee if the basis for the petition is the applicant's age...". Therefore, the undersigned attorney of record believes no fee is required to enter this Petition.

Respectfully submitted,



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